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## PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a two-months extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to file Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated November 7, 2003, from January 7, 2004 to March 7, 2004. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$712, which includes \$55 to cover the cost of the one month extension and a separate check in the amount of \$155 for the balance owing for the two-month extension of time.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. Deposit Account No. 50-2976. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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